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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170 and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

Please seriously consider this as the prices of everything continues to rise, the income of the middle class blue collar worker does not. Please allow us the privilege of having some sense of security by not raising the Universal Service Fee, so that we may continue to still afford our phone. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

Paulette A. Boris

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My parents, along with many other elderly people have a wireless phone that they use in emergency situations only. They are on a fixed income and find it a hardship to pay the fees now. I know \$1.00 a month doesn't seem like much, but with all the other monthly bills, it is a hindrance. Please reconsider this change of policy. I think you can come up with a policy better than making everybody pay for a service that they do not use. Sincerely, Mona Libby

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